

Green Buildings

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low_occupancy = filter(greenbuildings, leasing_rate < 10)

#Compare means for several predictors to see if any pattern stands out.
comparison <- data.frame(
  Low_Occupancy = round(sapply(greenbuildings[greenbuildings$leasing_rate < 10,
                                c("age", "Rent", "stories", "cluster_rent", "Gas_Costs", "size",
                                   "class_b", "amenities", "green_rating")], mean),2),
  All_Buildings = round(sapply(greenbuildings[c("age", "Rent", "stories", "cluster_rent", "Gas_Costs",
                                                  "class_b", "amenities", "green_rating")], mean),2)
)

print(comparison)
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##	Low_Occupancy	All_Buildings
## age	54.42	47.24
## Rent	22.44	28.42
## stories	4.82	13.58
## cluster_rent	23.99	27.50
## Gas_Costs	0.01	0.01
## size	62209.12	234637.74
## class_b	0.49	0.46
## amenities	0.12	0.53
## green_rating	0.00	0.09

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greenbuildings <- greenbuildings %>%
  mutate(cluster_factor = as.factor(cluster))
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#Fit linear model
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model <- lm(Rent ~ . - Rent, data = greenbuildings)
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# Extract coefficient for green_rating
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additional_rent_per_sqft <- coef(model)["green_rating"]
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# Calculate total additional rent for a 250,000 sqft building
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total_additional_rent <- 250000 * additional_rent_per_sqft
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cat("Additional rent for green buildings: $", round(additional_rent_per_sqft, 2), "per square foot per year")
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## Additional rent for green buildings: $ 2.05 per square foot per year
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cat("Total additional rent for a 250,000 sqft green building at 100% occupancy: $", round(total_additional_rent, 2))
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# Calculate median occupancy rates for green and non-green buildings
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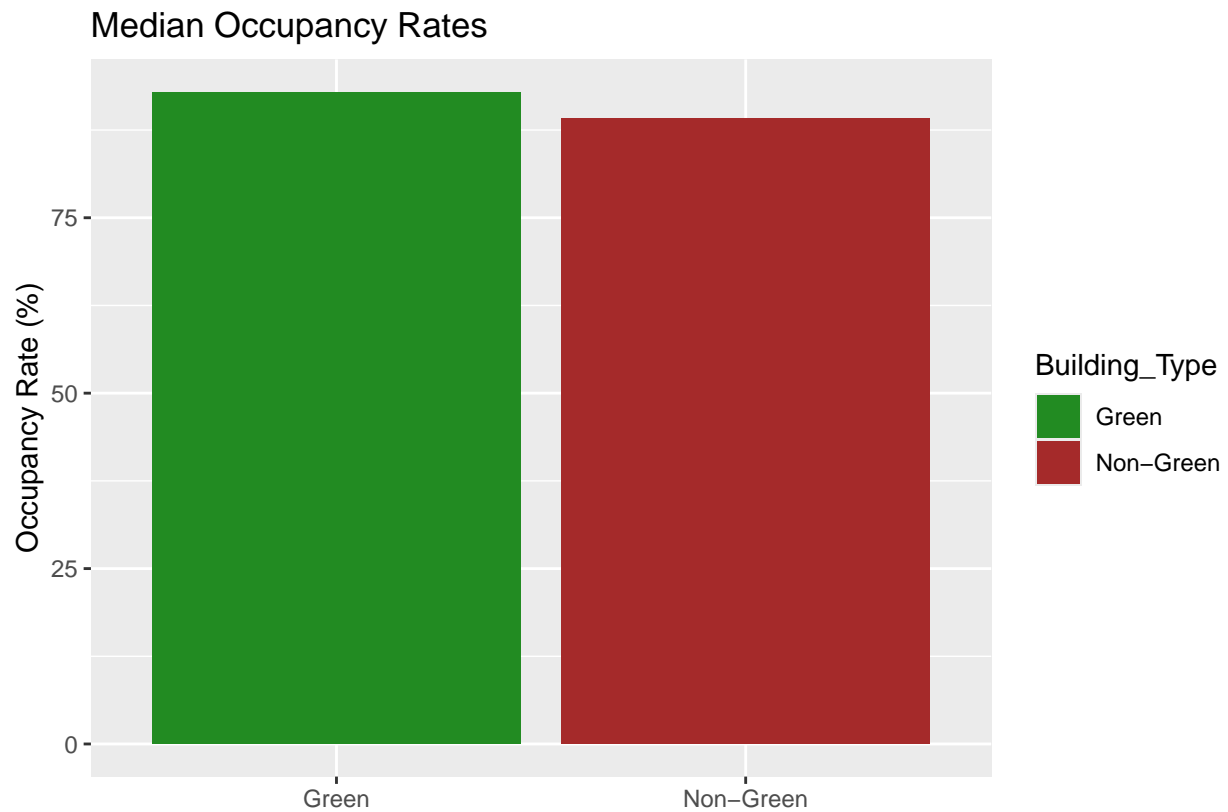
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green_buildings <- filter(greenbuildings, green_rating == 1)
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brown_buildings <- filter(greenbuildings, green_rating == 0)
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med_green_occupancy <- median(green_buildings$leasing_rate)
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med_brown_occupancy <- median(brown_buildings$leasing_rate)
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ggplot(data.frame(Building_Type = c("Non-Green", "Green"),
                  Occupancy = c(med_brown_occupancy, med_green_occupancy)),
       aes(x = Building_Type, y = Occupancy, fill = Building_Type)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
  labs(title = "Median Occupancy Rates",
       y = "Occupancy Rate (%)",
       x = "") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c("Non-Green" = "brown", "Green" = "forestgreen"))
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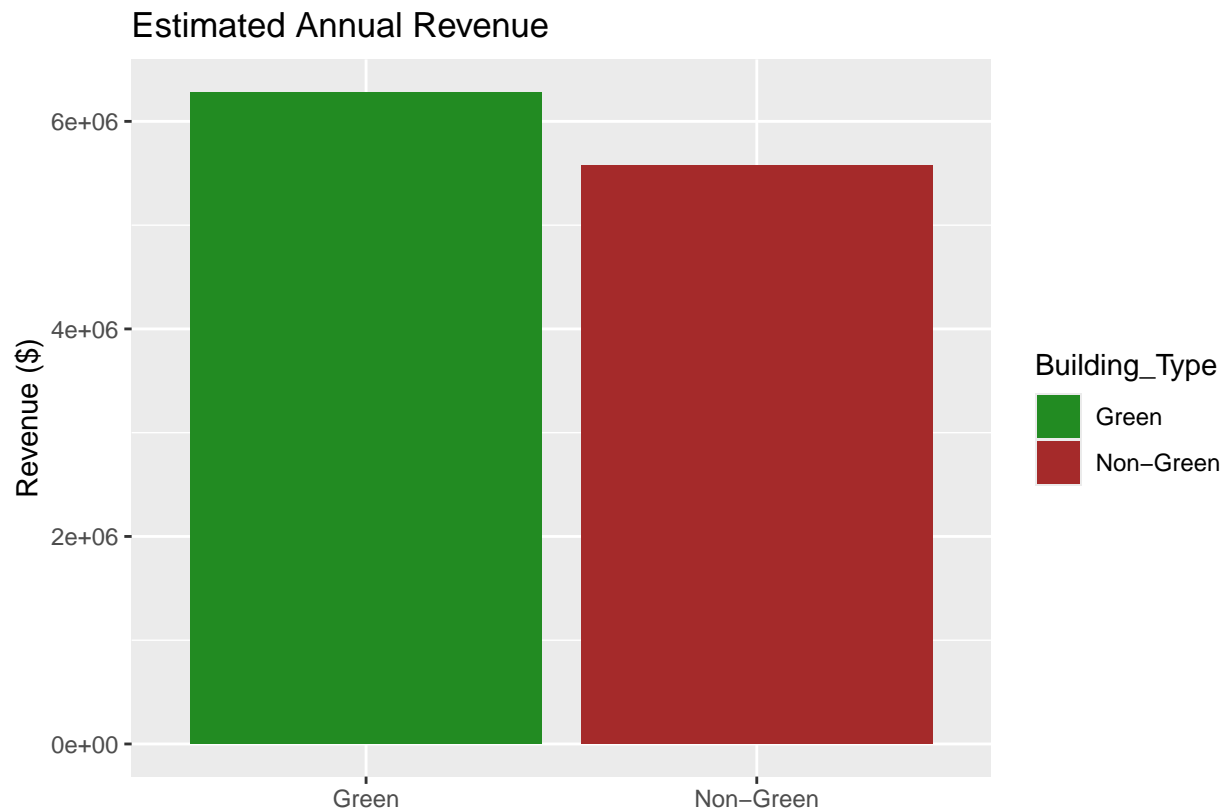


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# Calculate revenue for green and brown buildings
green_rent_sqft <- 250000 * (25 + additional_rent_per_sqft)
brown_rent_sqft <- 250000 * 25

avg_revenue_green <- green_rent_sqft * med_green_occupancy * 0.01
avg_revenue_brown <- brown_rent_sqft * med_brown_occupancy * 0.01

revenue_diff <- avg_revenue_green - avg_revenue_brown

ggplot(data.frame(Building_Type = c("Non-Green", "Green"),
                    Revenue = c(avg_revenue_brown, avg_revenue_green)),
        aes(x = Building_Type, y = Revenue, fill = Building_Type)) +
  geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
  labs(title = "Estimated Annual Revenue",
        y = "Revenue ($)",
        x = "") +
  scale_fill_manual(values = c("Non-Green" = "brown", "Green" = "forestgreen"))
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cat("Additional annual revenue for green buildings: $", round(revenue_diff, 2), "\n")
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## Additional annual revenue for green buildings: $ 709997.7
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green_cost <- 5000000
payback_period <- green_cost / revenue_diff

cat("Estimated payback period:", round(payback_period, 2), "years\n")
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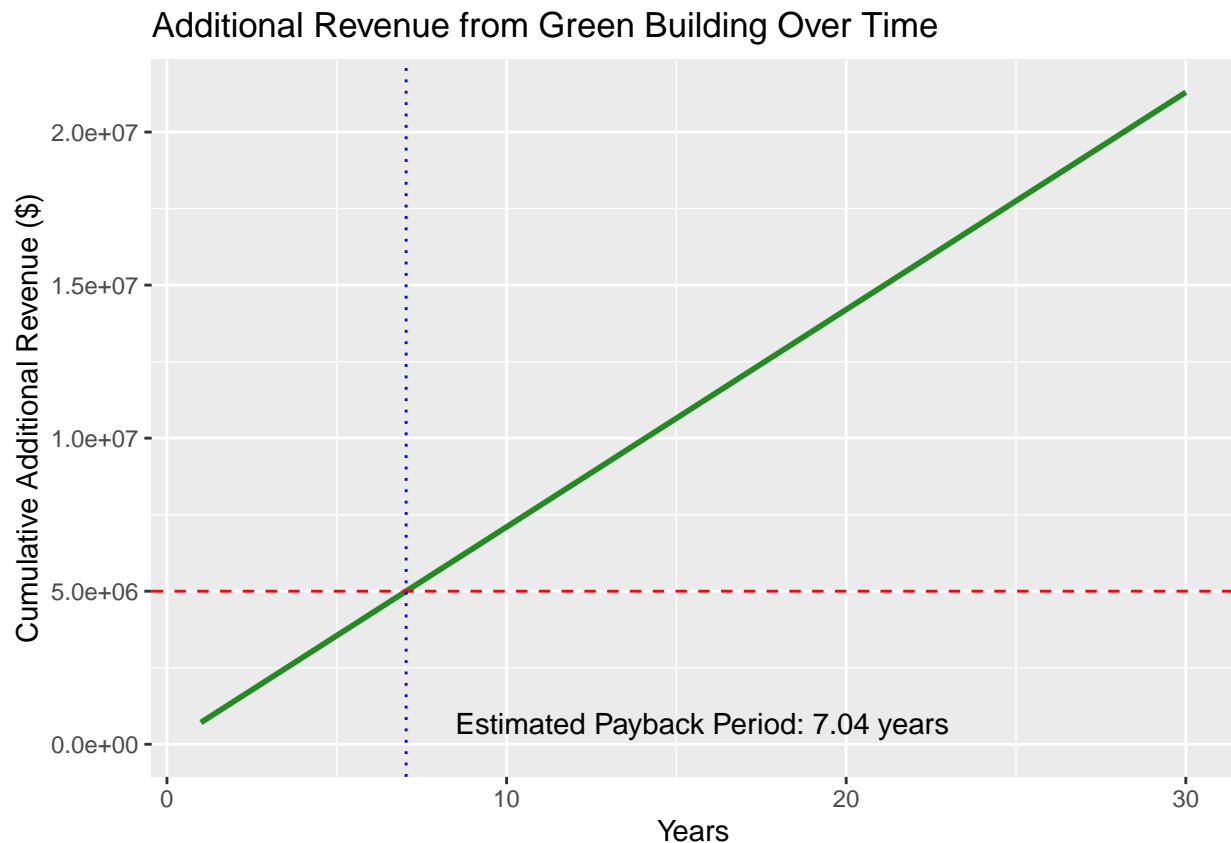
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## Estimated payback period: 7.04 years
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years <- 1:30
additional_revenue <- revenue_diff * years
investment_cost <- 5000000

ggplot(data.frame(Year = years, Revenue = additional_revenue)) +
  geom_line(aes(x = Year, y = Revenue), color = "forestgreen", size = 1) +
  geom_hline(yintercept = investment_cost, linetype = "dashed", color = "red") +
  geom_vline(xintercept = payback_period, linetype = "dotted", color = "blue") +
  annotate("text", x = payback_period, y = 0, label = paste("Estimated Payback Period:", round(payback_
    vjust = -0.5, hjust = -0.1) +
  labs(title = "Additional Revenue from Green Building Over Time",
    x = "Years",
    y = "Cumulative Additional Revenue ($)")
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## Warning: Using 'size' aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
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## i Please use 'linewidth' instead.
## This warning is displayed once every 8 hours.
## Call 'lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()' to see where this warning was
## generated.
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cat("Even though your analyst's methods were not as accurate as a complete analysis,
    he was not too far off the mark. It would take only 7 years and 1 month to see
    a return on your investment if you chose to build a green building. In addition,
    there are other intangible positives not covered in this analysis, such as good PR.
    If you expect to be collecting rent on this building for longer than 7 years, and
    it makes sense for you financially, I would recommend building a green building.")
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